

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Insurance Medical Services Department – Gazetted Establishment – Allegations on lack of supervision on subordinate staff and failure to supervise the work of Finance & Accounts against Dr. N.Govinda Rao, CSS, Medical Superintendent, ESI Hospital, Sanathnagar and Smt.Aizaz Sulthana, Lay Secretary, Drawing & Disbursing Officer, ESI Hospital, Sanathnagar, Hyderabad on misappropriation of Government money and conducting private chits by Sri M.Masaiah, Office Superintendent (Retd) — Appointment of Inquiry Authority to conduct regular enquiry – Orders – Issued.

LABOUR EMPLOYMENT TRAINING AND FACTORIES(VIG)DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.1839

Dated: 15.09.2008.

Read the following:

1. From the DIMS, Lr.Rc.No.63/A4b/2006, dt.25.1.2006.
2. From the DIMS, Lr.Rc.No.63/A4b/2006, dt.29.1.2006.
3. G.O.Rt.No. 2206, LET&F (Vig) Deptt., dated 27.10.2006.
4. From DIMS, Rc.No. 15886/E1B/2006-3, dated 08.01.2007.

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ORDER:

In the reference 1st read above, the Director, Insurance Medical Services has informed that consequent on request of a letter from the Andhra Pradesh Medical Employees Union, ESI Hospital, Sanathnagar that non/belated remittance of bank loan installments and LIC premium recovered from the salaries of the employees of the hospital and news item published in daily papers regarding conduct of chit unauthorisedly and cheating the staff by Sri M.Masaiah, Office Superintendent have requested for a preliminary investigation, followed by detailed enquiry and internal audit on the accounts.

2. In the reference 2nd read above, the Director, Insurance Medical Services has informed that Sri Masaiah, Office Superintendent has misappropriated the Government money and he was under suspension on a different criminal charges and it was also reported that the Head of the office i.e., the Superintendent and the Drawing & Disbursing officer have failed to supervise the work of Finance and Accounts wings of the ESI Hospital, Sanathnagar.

3. Accordingly, in the reference 3rd read above, articles of charges were served on Dr. N.Govinda Rao, CSS, Medical Superintendent, ESI Hospital, Sanathnagar, Hyderabad on lack of supervision on subordinate staff and on the allegations of misappropriation of Government funds against Sri Masaiah, Superintendent.

4. In the reference 4th read above, the Director, Insurance Medical Services has informed that charge memos were served on Sri M.Masaiah, Office Superintendent, ESI Hospital, Sanathnagar on conducting private chits and misappropriation of Government money and against Smt. Aziaz Sulthana LST grade. II, and Drawing & Disbursing Officer, ESI Hospital, Sanathnagar, Hyderabad for her failure to supervise the work of Sri M.Masaiah, Office Superintendent. She has also informed that Smt Aziaz Sulthana gave her statement of defence denying the charges and the charge memo served on Sri M.Masaiah, Office Superintendent was returned by postal authorities which was sent by Registered post twice and hence it was published in Andhra Pradesh Gazette.

5. And whereas Dr. N.Govinda Rao, CSS, Medical Superintendent, ESI Hospital, Sanathnagar, Hyderabad has submitted his written statement of defence to

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Government wherein he has denied the charges and requested to drop all the charges framed against him.

6. Government, after careful examination of the matter and in exercise of the powers conferred Under sub rule (2) of Rule 20 of A.P.C.S. (CCA) Rules, 1991, hereby appoint Sri Janak Raj, IPS (Retd), Member, Commissioner of Inquiries as Inquiry Authority to conduct regular enquiry in the matter against the 3 Charged Officers involved in this case.

7. The Member, Commissioner of Inquiries is requested to submit the report as per the procedure laid down in the A.P.C.S. (CCA) Rules, 1991.

8. The Director, Insurance Medical Services, Hyderabad is requested to handover all the relevant records and material to the Inquiry Authority under intimation to Government immediately.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

BHANWAR LAL
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
Sri Janak Raj, IPS (Retd), Member, Commissioner of Inquiries.
Copy to:
The Director, Insurance Medical Services, Hyderabad.
The Secretary, A.P.Vigilance Commission, Hyderabad.
The General Administration (COI) Department, A.P.Secretariat.
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